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BLOCKING AGENTS FOR THE

TREATMENT OF ANTIBODY MEDIATED IMMUNOLOGICAL DISEASES (As Amended)

AMENDMENT AND REPLY

MS RCE Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

In response to the Final Office Action dated June 3, 2005, ensuing Advisory Action dated October 20, 2005, and in consideration of the Request for Continued Examination filed herewith, please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 9 of this paper.